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ALUMNI NEWS

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COMING EVENTS

Otterbein-Night April 25
Founders' Day April 26
Scholarship Day May 5
May Day and Parents' Day May 6
Alumni Day Saturday, June 10
67th Commencement June 12

Otterbein's Basketball Record

Jan. 6—Toledo	35	Otterbein	41
Jan. 7—Bowling G. ..	33	Otterbein	48
Jan. 17—Dayton U.	26	Otterbein	34
Jan. 21—Kenyon	28	Otterbein	46
Jan. 28—O. N. U.	28	Otterbein	43
Feb. 4—Hiram	34	Otterbein	69
Feb. 11—Marietta	30	Otterbein	45
Feb. 15—Capital	32	Otterbein	52
Feb. 20—Muskingum ..	19	Otterbein	56
Feb. 25—Heidelberg ..	37	Otterbein	42
Mar. 1—Kenyon	40	Otterbein	52
Mar. 6—Capital	19	Otterbein	55

SCHOLARSHIP DAY MAY 5

In addition to scholarships offered to winners in the State contest, Otterbein is offering three special tuition scholarships of \$160 each to be awarded on Scholarship Day, May 5.

Contestants will need to have ranked in the upper third of their high school class and also to be recommended by their principal as to character and aggressiveness.

Four \$50 scholarships will also be awarded in music—two in voice and two in piano.

Each contestant must take a standardized English test and may choose from the regular college requirements two other subjects, one each from the following

groups: Language, Science, History, and Mathematics (high school rank).

A summary of the tests offered are as follows: Language—Latin, French, and Spanish. Science—Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Botany, Zoology, Physical Geography, and General Science. History—Ancient, Medieval, Modern, English, U. S., and Civics. Mathematics—This will include regular high school mathematics. Further information on receipt of application.

The English examination will be held at 10 o'clock in the morning with the remaining two at 1 p. m. and 3 p. m. respectively.

Music Contest at 7:00 and 8:00 P. M.

OTTERBEIN NIGHT

Celebrating Founders' Day Tuesday, April 25

Tuesday, April 25, 1933, has been designated as Otterbein Night. April 26 is Founder's Day and will be celebrated with fitting exercises on the campus so that the observance of Otterbein Night on Tuesday the 25th will be the opening event of the celebration of Founder's Day.

A splendid program will be broadcast from station WAIU in Columbus consisting of Glee Club and Orchestra numbers together with a word of greeting from President W. G. Clippinger.

This program will be given over WAIU from 8:30 to 9:00 p. m. Eastern Standard Time.

This will be a good time to hold Alumni Group meetings and listen in on this inspiring program.

If all the group cannot get together, why not get together in smaller groups? Lets make this a REAL Otterbein Night and show our enthusiasm by a 100% cooperation.

A few years ago we had letters and cards saying that the program has been picked up as far away as Iowa and Florida. When you have heard the program drop us a card telling of the place and circumstances.

REMEMBER the DATE—PLAN for a BIG TIME.

President Clippinger Chosen Head Of Ohio Anti-Saloon League

At the annual meeting of the state organization of the Ohio Anti-Saloon League meeting in Columbus on February 3, 1933, Dr. W. G. Clippinger was elected president. He succeeds Dr. W. O. Thompson, president emeritus of Ohio State University who resigned due to ill health.

Miss Dorothy Sowers, '31, is music supervisor in the Wheelersburg school district at Wheelersburg, Ohio.

HELP KEEP THE ALUMNI OFFICE RECORDS UP-TO-DATE

ALUMNI SECRETARY

Home Address

Business Address

Occupation

Degrees received since leaving Otterbein

College—From which received

Signed

A LETTER

Fellow Alumni:

This is written hoping that it may stimulate you to individual effort in interesting some prospective student in our Alma Mater. Many students will enter colleges next fall in spite of economic conditions. Otterbein merits a goodly share.

Won't you personally contact one or more of these young folks in your community and explain the advantages Otterbein offers? Perhaps you can arrange a trip with them to Westerville. Try it and see what a kick you get out of it!

Otterbein not only needs them but they need Otterbein.

P. H. Kilbourne, '02.

Excerpt from a letter sent to the Trustees by President F. O. Clements.

"If every Board member will work faithfully throughout his own territory and secure one new student for next year, or furnish a contribution from himself or a friend that will help a deserving student continue his or her work we need fear no decrease in attendance."

OTTERBEIN TWELVE WINS, NO DEFEATS

By Dale B. Evans

That was the handwriting on the wall after the final gun had barked in the Ohio Conference this season, and the 1933 basketball season was history. Otterbein's high flying Cardinals, Monarchs of all they surveyed, placed two men on the All-Ohio team as Sammy Andrews won a guard post with Barney Francis being awarded a forward berth.

The Cardinals started off the season in great form on their first road tour of the season as they took Toledo and Bowling Green into camp on successive nights. Then came Dayton.

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MAY DAY

Parents and Friends Plan to Attend—May 6

Plans are rapidly taking form for a great May Day celebration Saturday, May 6.

A committee composed of L. W. Warson, Mr. Floyd Beelman, Miss Elizabeth M. Garland and Miss Hortense Potts has been appointed to work with the Student Council and other campus organizations to make this one of the most enjoyable affairs of the year.

There will be the usual May morning breakfast, the crowning of the May Queen and a program of folk dancing featuring folk dances from all nations.

Parents and friends are cordially invited to enjoy this most pleasant occasion.

DEATH OF PROFESSOR ALMA GUITNER

The passing of Professor Alma Guitner which occurred Sunday, February 26, after only one week's illness from a virulent attack of scarlet fever was a great shock to the college and to many friends throughout the country.

As a teacher, as a devout and loyal member of the local church and as a loyal supporter of Otterbein, she rendered a long and unique service.

The following is from President Clippinger's letter to the trustees:

"The Guitner family has given more years of service to the college than any other family. Two years after his graduation from college in 1860 Professor John E. Guitner, Alma's father, began to teach as instructor in language. He continued to teach here until his death on September 28, 1900, having completed thirty-eight successive years of teaching. The same September Miss Guitner began her work in the college, so that she and her father had an unbroken line of teaching at Otterbein since the year 1862—seventy-one years this year."

Miss Carrie Miles, who has been in the Philippine Islands engaged as a missionary under the United Brethren Mission Board, will sail for home on the President Coolidge April 8. She will arrive in San Francisco on May 2.

OTTERBEIN TWELVE WINS

(Continued from page two)

ton and the Cards were still undefeated after the Daytonians had did their best to stop them. Dr. Edler then gave the home town a chance to see the undefeated team in action as the Cards downed Kenyon. Ohio Northern came to Westerville expecting to hold the long standing jinx on the Birds but could not stop the high scoring Cardinal team. Capital and Marietta did not extend the Cardinals in the next two games and the Muskingum game was in doubt only as to how great the score would be. The high point of the season was reached in the Hiram game as the men of Edler ran wild to run up 69 points. Heidelberg staged a desperate last half rally that had fans on the edge of their seats during the last part of the fray but the Cards were not to be denied and came home with the scalp of the Student Princes in the bag. Capital was another exhibition for the Cards on the spacious Otterbein floor but Kenyon gave the Tan men a real battle on the Postage stamp floor at Gambier but the Cards were the stuff and came through like real leaders should and the season was over; Otterbein at the top, twelve wins and no defeats.

MEETING OF STARK COUNTY ALUMNI

March 15 was the date on which the Stark County Woman's Club of Canton and vicinity invited in their husbands and friends. About 45 persons assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Myers, 941 Sherrick Road, S. E., and after having eaten their fill of the viands prepared by the ladies a program representing the meeting of the four Literary societies was given.

The debate was well handled by Mr. Lyman Hert and Mr. Robert Schreck on the subject, Resolved: That "the matches made in Otterbein are more enduring than those made by the Diamond match factory at Barberton." The affirmative won the unanimous decision. Rev. P. M. Redd presided, Mr. LeRoy Burdge was secretary and Mr. Ralph Vernon critic.

This was a very enjoyable affair.

Miss Gladys Burgert, '32, is teaching History and Home Economics in the high school, Brewster, Ohio.

DAYTON'S MENS CLUB MEETS

The Dayton Otterbein Men's Club held a dinner in the Industrial building in that city at six o'clock January 17th, preceding the Dayton U-Otterbein basket ball game.

All alumni, friends and prospective students were invited and ninety-six persons enjoyed the fellowship and the dinner.

Following the dinner these friends with approximately 150 other Otterbein boosters were thrilled with the ease in which Otterbein's team ran rough shod over the "doped to win" Dayton team.

CLASS 1895

A very unique class reunion occurred in Miami, Florida, recently. Four of the class of 1895 met for the first time in 25 years. The participants were Dr. Stephen C. Markley, Mrs. Markley (Mary B. Mauger, Sarah B. Mauger and Mrs. Dacia Shoemaker.

Mrs. Shoemaker was on her way to Cuba where she is spending a few months in rest and recuperation when she encountered her classmates in Miami.

Mrs. Flora Spangler Bash, '75, died February 16, 1933, at her home 5026 22nd Avenue, N. E., Seattle, Washington, after a long illness. Surviving are two daughters Miss Mary Bash, student counsellor for women at the University in Seattle, and Dr. Clementine Bash, superintendent of Douw Hospital Peiping, China.

Miss Martha Samuel, '32, was united in marriage to Mr. Lewis Maxwell Sowers of Westerville, Sunday, February 12. The ceremony was read by Rev. J. Chester White, pastor of the Presbyterian church, immediately following the Sunday morning service, in the presence of the congregation.

ALUMNI SECRETARY

Please find enclosed Alumni contribution, 1933, \$.....

Signed

Names and addresses of Prospective Students.

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Signed

Address

COLUMBUS-WESTERVILLE WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS

The mid-winter guest night meeting of the Columbus-Westerville Woman's Club was held in the Y. W. C. A. building, Columbus, Ohio, Saturday, January 14.

A musical program was presented by pupils from the Otterbein conservatory under the direction of Prof. Spessard. Arrangements were in charge of Mrs. E. L. Weinland.

Pres. W. G. Clippinger was present and addressed the members and friends. This is an annual affair, and is enjoyed by those who are fortunate enough to be guests as well as by the members themselves.

Mrs. F. J. Ressler is the president assisted by Mrs. Troop in charge of the Westerville branch.

PLANS MEETING FOR MIAMI GROUP

The Miami Valley Alumni Group is planning its annual meeting which is to be held in Dayton, Ohio, April 17, Dr. Dean Cook, president, assisted by Miss Virginia Brewbaker and Mr. John Lehman, secretary and treasurer of the organization are working enthusiastically to make this the best annual meeting which the group has ever held.

A program of unusual interest is being prepared.

Miss Lenore South, '32, is engaged in choir and solo work in Toledo, O. She also broadcasts every Sunday afternoon over Station W. S. P. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar H. Charles who have spent the last 26 years in the Phillipine Islands in Educational work sailed for the states March 11.

Mr. Ernest Riegel, '28, is Assistant Superintendent at the Hudson Boys Farm located at Hudson, Ohio.

DEATHS

Rev. Thomas H. Kohr, '72, died December 28, 1932, at his home, 4293 Westerville Road, from an heart attack. He had been ill but a few days. Rev. Kohr had been a Presbyterian minister 55 years and would have celebrated his eighty-eighth birthday on January 15. He and Mrs. Kohr observed their sixtieth wedding anniversary last June 4th.

Word has been received of the death of Rev. John Greenleaf Huber, '88, Dayton, Ohio. He was formerly a teacher at Bonebrake Seminary and at one time was president of San Joaquin College, Woodbridge, California.

Relatives of Mrs. Sarah Flickinger Marston of El Paso, Texas, received word of her death recently, due to paralysis at the age of 83 years. She was a former student of Otterbein college and a sister of Mrs. Joseph J. Knox of El Paso, who was a former resident of Westerville, Mrs. E. S. Kennedy, a niece, visited these two aunts a year ago.

Funeral services for Mr. Rufus B. Moore, '83, was held February 3, at Bowling Green, Ohio. Mr. Moore was an attorney and had been engaged in the practice of his profession up until a short time of his death.

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence P. Green of Centerburg, Ohio, a boy, Lawrence Perry Green, Jr., February 2, 1933. He has been enrolled in Otterbein with the Class of '55.

Mrs. Green, the former Mary Bennett, graduated in '27 and Mr. Green in '29. Both have been successful teachers and Mr. Green is now coaching and teaching in the Centerburg High School.

Born to Dr. and Mrs. Manson E. Nichols, '22-23, a son, Donald Byron, on March 9, 1933. Dr. and Mrs. Nichols have moved to Lancaster, Ohio, where he is practicing medicine.

Announcements have been received of the birth of a baby daughter on December 8, 1932, to Mr. and Mrs. James Louis Haskins of 2215 Waller Hill, Portsmouth, Ohio. Mrs. Haskins was formerly Miss Ruth Streich

of the class of 1925. Mr. Haskins also graduated in 1925.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hey of Clarkdale, Arizona, are announcing the birth of a daughter at the Verde Valley hospital on January 26. The new arrival has been christened Ruth Eleanor. Mr. Hey is employed in the Clarkdale High School.

Mrs. Hey will be remembered as Katherine Steinmetz, class '27.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Watkins (Catherine Demorest, Ex), 83 University Street, Westerville, Ohio, announce the birth of a daughter Martha Ann, on February 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray W. Gifford (Marie Wagoner), Ex-'18, 100 South State street, Westerville, Ohio, announce the birth of a son Craig, March 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrick Demorest (Helen Keller), '21-'20, announce the birth of a daughter, Sallie Ann, on March 1. Mr. and Mrs. Demorest live at 3577 Oak Street, Jacksonville, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoff (Marie Billman, Ex) announce the birth of a daughter, Betty Lou, on January 12.

Rev. and Mrs. Lewis Frees announce the arrival of a baby girl at their home in Justus, Ohio, on December 24, 1932.

Rev. Frees is the efficient pastor at Justus.

Reverend and Mrs. A. Blair Grubb announce the birth of a son, Lawrence, on January 18, 1933 at 7:30 p. m.

Rev. and Mrs. Grubb (Janette McGill) live in Darraugett, Texas. Mrs. Grubb was a former student here.

Born to Dr. and Mrs. Ross A. Hill, Ex-'21, 1501 Central Avenue, Middletown, Ohio, a daughter, Saturday, January 14, 1933. Dr. Hill is a physician in Middletown.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin H. Cavanaugh, (Aline Mayne), '26-23, announced the birth of a son, Elvin Hoover, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Cavanaugh live in Wilmington, Delaware, where Mr. Cavanaugh is business secretary of the Y. M. C. A. there.

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Miss Matie Ricker, '32, is teaching Latin, French and Home Economics in Mineral City, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray H. Vogel, nee Martha Alspach, '27, are living in Akron, Ohio, 235 S. Arlington street.

Mr. Vogel is in the Motion Picture Department of the Goodyear Rubber Company and works in the Goodyear Flying Squadron.

Mr. Earl R. Hoover, formerly assistant Attorney General of Ohio, is now associated with the firm of Mooney, Hahn, Loeser, Keough, and Beam in Cleveland, Ohio.

Their offices are situated in the National Bank building. Mr. Hoover is associated with the firm in the general practice of law.

Miss Gwendolyn Wagner, '32, is teaching Latin and Home Economics in the Tiffin Township high school, Defiance county, O.

Mr. Cenate Long, '29, of the Revenue Department of the state of Pennsylvania, was married on January 14, 1933, to Miss Margaret Wolf, also of the Revenue Department. Mr. and Mrs. Long are making their home at 2019 Bellevue Road, Harrisburg, Pa.

The wedding of Mr. Barrett B. Klopfer and Miss Ethel Kepler, '23, both of Dayton, Ohio, was solemnized on Sunday, February 19, in the Oakwood United Brethren church in that city. The ceremony was performed by Dr. S. F. Daugherty, pastor. Mr. Klopfer is connected with the Standard Register Company of Dayton. Their address is 905 Ferndale Ave., Dayton.

OTTERBEIN VARSITY QUARTET

Otterbein has a quartet of talented young men which is being recognized as one of the outstanding male quartets of the radio and platform.

The boys sing over station WAIU every Monday night at 7:15, giving a varied program.

Anyone looking for an organization of this character should write the college and arrangements can be made for their appearance.